IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

International Application No. PCT/EP00/00750

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Title: Process And Device For Cross-Flow Filtration

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Attorney's Docket Number: ANDPAT/157/PC/US

Box PCT Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Please commence the United States National Processing of the above-identified international application.

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- (1.) Unsigned Inventor's Declaration.
- (2.) International Application No. PCT/EP00/00750 as published, including EPO Search Report.
- (4) English Translation of International Application No. PCT/EP00/00750 in U.S. Format.
- (5) Preliminary Examination Report.

Respectfully Submitted,

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